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Appln. No.: 10/784,942

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For **APPARATUS FOR CONNECTING ELECTRONIC UNITS TOGETHER**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 1, 2005 to August 1, 2005.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$450.00 (and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee) to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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